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☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

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### 2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	20** = 3	9	27
Independent Claims	3** = 1	42	42
Multiple Dependent			69

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1514 920*	1814 460*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805 1540*	1805 770*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
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1252 410	2252 205	Extension for reply within second month	
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1255 1970	2255 985	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401 320	2401 160	Notice of Appeal	
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*Reply to Office Action with Amendment*

The applicant, Prodromos Pericles Stephanos, respectfully responds to the rejection issued on May 5, 2003 with the following remarks and amendment. In support of this response, the applicant also submits a new Rule 1.132 declaration, which accompanies this response.

As required by the newly amended Rule 1.121, the amendments are submitted on their own pages.

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